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From the Paris Gazette, dated May 3.

Rome, April 8.

THE Count of Legnasco, who is come hither, without a publick Character, from the King of Poland, had Audience some days ago of the Pope and made great Complaints to him, on the Part of his Master, against the Cardinal Radziejowski Primate of Poland, alledging that he had made himself the Head of a Party that are Enemies to the King, in whose Name he besought his Holiness to make use of his Authority, to draw him off from the Confederates who had declar'd the Throne vacant. The Pope answer'd, that the Conduct of the Cardinal Primate, appear'd in all things to be conformable to the Laws of Poland, so that, how great soever his Desire might be to be able to contribute to the quieting the Troubles of that Kingdom, he could not make himself of a Party, especially after the Violence done to the Princes James and Constantine Sobieski; to sollicit whose Liberty the Pope has sent a Courier to Poland.

From the Leiden Gazette, dated May 1.

Rome, April 12. Cardinal Charles Barberino is

struck with the Palsy on one side of his Body, and his Recovery is despair'd of because of his great Age. The Pope finding the Apostolical Treasury to be very low, has appointed Prelates, with the Title of Apostolical Visitors, to go to all the Towns and Places of the Ecclesiastical State, to take an Account of the Estates of the Nobility that have hitherto been exempted from all Taxes, to the end every one may be rated in proportion to what he has; which makes a great Noise here. The Count de Lanberg, the Emperor's Ambassador, is gone to Nettuno, to take the Diversion of the Country: And the Duke d'Uzeda, Ambassador of Spain, is gone to Frascati, with his Lady, to pass some time there. Cardinal Fourbin offer'd to take Care of the Affairs of Spain, in his Absence; but the Duke told him he durst not entrust them to his Eminency's Care without expresse Orders from the Council of Spain. The 10th a certain Guardian of a Monastery being at an Inn in the Spanish Ambassador's Quarter, some of that Minister's Domesticks, who took him for one of the Sbirri, because he had Arms about him, came into the Inn, fell upon him with Cudgels, and beat him so unmercifully, that he died of it soon after. The Pope being inform'd of it, immediately order'd the Sbirris to endeavour to seize the Offenders, and particularly gave Direction for the 2 French Churches of the Trinity and St. Lewis, in which 'twas suppos'd they had taken Refuge, to be search'd; but they could not be found, nor is it yet discover'd what is become of them. The Pope has demanded speedy Satisfaction of the Spanish Ambassador. The Cardinal del Giudice, Viceroy of Sicily, has made a present to the Pope of 12 White Mules, all of a Size, in Magnificent Harness, with his Holiness's Arms on them; which being very rare, his Holiness receiv'd them with great Expressions of Admiration and Acknowledgement, declaring he had never before seen any so fine and at the same time so well match'd. The Prior Vaini, who was General of the

Galley of Malta last Year, being come hither from thence without making his farewell Visit to Signior Spinola the Apostolical Inquisitor, because he had imprison'd one of his Galley-Slaves for speaking Blasphemy; a Congregation of the Holy Office was held the 2d of this Month, in which it was resolv'd that the said Prior should be oblig'd to go back to Malta within 3 Months and make a Visit to the Inquisitor. Which Resolution was confirm'd in a Congregation held the 9th in Presence of the Pope. Pursuant to which the Prior is preparing to go to Naples to embark there; but his Friends are in Hopes that when he is arriv'd at Naples, and has thereby shewn a ready Submission to the Penalty impos'd on him by the Holy Tribunal, he will be recall'd and forgiven. The Queen Dowager of Poland making earnest Solicitation to the Pope, to use his Interest with the King of Poland to procure the Liberty of the Princes her Sons, a Report is spread, that if the Letters his Holiness has written to his Majesty and the Cardinal Primate have no Effect either to obtain the Enlargement of those Princes or to promote an Accomodation between the King and his Disobedient Subjects, he will send his Nephew Don Annibal Albani thither, with the Character of Nuncio Extraordinary.

From the Amsterdam Gazette, dated May 9.

Rome, April 19. The Pope has been indispos'd of a Cold, which has oblig'd him to keep his Chamber several days, but has not hinder'd him from dispatching several Affairs of Consequence; And being recover'd he went to other day to perform his Devotions before the Host which was expos'd in the Cathedral of St. Peter, on account of Cardinal Nerli; That Prelate is so very ill that he is given over by the Physicians, has receiv'd all the Sacraments of the Church; and has made his Will, in which he has bequeath'd 80 Crowns a Year to each of his Servants, and to Don Oratio Albani, the Pope's Brother, a Cross set with Diamonds valued at 16000 Crowns, which he had caus'd to be made up out of 3 Crosses of less value, presented to him formerly by the Emperor, the King of France, and the King of Poland, when he resided in quality of Nuncio at their respective Courts. The Pope's Thoughts are very much taken up with the Affairs of Poland; he would fain be instrumental in quieting the Troubles of that Kingdom; and not a Week passes but he sends new Instructions to his Nuncio in Poland on that subject. Some of his Ministers advis'd him to summons the Cardinal Primate, who is look'd upon as the principal Author of those Commotions, to come hither; but it being doubtful whether he would obey such a Summons, his Holiness reject'd that Counsel; and talks of sending into Poland Cardinal Pignatelli as Legate a Latere, to mediate an Accomodation between King Augustus II. and those that have confederated against him. Letters from the Bishops and Missionaires in China, have brought the unwelcome News, that the Emperor of that Country has begun to persecute the Roman Catholicks, and has caus'd several of them to be put to a cruel and ignominious Death. All the Parish Priests of this City, having by order from Court given in a List of all the Persons to whom they gave the Communion

munion this Easter, the whole number was found to amount to 100000, which is 27000 less than appear'd upon the Lists taken 2 years ago; which is a certain Evidence that this City is not now so full of People as it was at that time. The Pope finding the Air of the Vatican and Quirinal Palaces, does not agree with his Constitution, has resolv'd to remove next Year to the Palace call'd Torre di Vento; And above 100 Artificers are set to work, to adorn it with Carving, Painting, and Gilding. Cardinal Panfilio, who succeeds the deceas'd Cardinal Noris in the Office of Keeper of the Vatican Library, has resolv'd to reestablish Printing in the Vatican, and has receiv'd Proposals to this Effect from several Persons skill'd in that Art.

London, May 11.

They write from Leghorne the 25th of April, that several Merchant Ships sail'd from thence that Evening for England; and that several others would follow them in 2 or 3 days. That a Flushing Privateer who arriv'd that day, reported, that he had been cruising on the Coast of Provence, and had taken 2 French Barks laden with Corn; but that he had seen no French Man of War in his Cruise, except one that lately left Leghorne; So that that Coast is believ'd to be clear. The great Duke of Tuscany is about to send an Envoy Extraordinary to the Court of England.

London, May 12.

Yesterday Stocks were as follows, Bank 126 & a qr. New Comp. 252. Shares 32. Old Comp. 131 & a half. Million Bank 89 & a half. Sword Blades 85 & 3 qrs. African 21 & a qr.

Last Wednesday night the 10th instant at May-Fair, there being lost a Parchment Case with some loose Papers therein, and a small paper Book of Accounts and Disbursements, of no use to any body but the Owner. Whosoever having taken it up, will bring it to Mr. Stephen Ram Goldsmith at the Angel in Lombard-street, shall have a Guinea Reward.

In Hampton-Town near Hampton-Court, is a good Brick-house of 4 Rooms on a floor with large Closets to be Lett, together with a Fish-pond, Garden, Coach-house and Stable, and very good Conveniences for Brewing and Washing, and other Necessaries. Enquire at the place aforesaid and you may know further.

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